

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA

Case No.: 24-60382-CIV-Leibowitz/Augustin-Birch

Jessica Piafsky

Plaintiff,

vs.

MB Home Improvements, Inc. et al

Defendant.

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**CLERK'S NOTICE OF MEDIATOR DESIGNATION**

In accordance with S.D. Fla. L.R. 16.2 (d) (1) (b), the certified mediator identified below is hereby designated to serve as the mediator in this case:

Lori Adelson  
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The Certified Mediator shall be compensated in accordance with Administrative Order 2018-34 ("in cases where the parties have not agreed on the selection of a mediator which results in the Clerk of the Court designating a mediator on a blind rotating basis ... such designated mediators shall be compensated at the rate of Three Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$350) per hour, which includes the mediator's time preparing for and conducting the mediation, without compensation for travel."). See also S.D. Fla. L.R. 16.2 (b) (7) ("All mediation fees ... shall be due within forty-five (45) days of invoice and shall be enforceable by the Court upon motion.")

Pursuant to S.D. Fla. L.R. 16.2(a)(2), "Format. Unless the Court orders otherwise, the parties shall decide whether their mediation conference will be conducted in person or by video-conference and, if the parties cannot agree, the mediation conference shall be held by video-conference."

Pursuant to S.D. Fla. L.R. 16.2(d)(2), Plaintiff's counsel (or another attorney agreed upon by all counsel of record) shall be responsible for coordinating the mediation conference date and location agreeable to the mediator and all counsel of record. Plaintiff's Counsel in this case is identified below:

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DONE at the Federal Courthouse Square, Miami, Florida this 8th day of November, 2024.

ANGELA E. NOBLE

Court Administrator • Clerk of Court

By: s/Deputy Clerk (PJ)

Copies to:

The Honorable David S. Leibowitz, United States District Judge  
All Counsel of Record and/or Pro Se Parties  
Lori Adelson, Certified Mediator (Copy emailed)

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